5. The license-holder shall have no right to claim firewood or charcoal from a forest other than the one named in his license on the ground that he failed to obtain the quantity in that forest.

6. The maximum number of cart-loads to be removed under one license shall be 25, and no licenses shall be granted in a closed forest.

7. It shall be competent for the Deputy Commissioner to close any forest or parts thereof to the public and prohibit therein all cutting of firewood or burning of charcoal.

8. Any person found cutting or burning in, or removing firewood or charcoal from, a closed forest or removing the same from the forest allotted in excess of the number of cart-loads covered by the license, or any person removing firewood or charcoal under a time-expired license shall be deemed to have cut and removed such firewood or charcoal without a license.

9. No paid license shall be granted for cutting or burning and removing firewood or charcoal from the jungle tract set apart for the *bonâ fide* use of the cultivating raiyats.

10. These rules, so far as they prescribe seigniorage, shall not affect existing privileges of kandayam-paying raiyats and of mohatarfa-paying iron-smelters and iron-smiths to get firewood or charcoal free for their own *bonâ fide* private use. Such persons (excepting raiyats whose privileges will be withheld if abuse be committed) shall be bound to obtain free licenses for cutting firewood and to abide by the terms of such licenses. Firewood or charcoal obtained free shall not be sold, bartered or otherwise used for purposes of trade.

11. The following kinds of trees shall not be felled or burnt for firewood or charcoal :—

Reserved kinds.

Sandal, teak, poon, blackwood, honne, jalari, nandi, hebbalasu, karachi, bili-matti, kari-matti and ebony.

Unreserved kinds.

Hunal, masi, hettiga, jambi, bilvara, tadasal, mavu, hunse, kendal, nerle, bagi, hadaga, bharangi, sampige, nanja, gundi, vate, alalekayi, cinnamon, kachu, geru and gamboge.

12. All firewood or charcoal felled or burnt on private or inam lands and removed for sale or otherwise shall be covered by a free pass to be obtained from the Amildar or District Forest Officer or other official duly authorized in that behalf by the Deputy Commissioner of the district, and, when so covered, the same shall be exempted from seigniorage above prescribed.

No. 532—*Ft. F.* 104-95, *dated* 15*th February* 1901.

Under Article 172 of the Mysore Service Regulations, Mr. S. A. Bapu Row, Deputy Conservator of Forests, Shimoga district, was granted casual leave of absence for one day, *viz.*, on the 3rd January 1901.

By Order,

J. L. PIGOT, *Secy. to Govt., Forest Dept.*

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No. 291-*M.*—*F.* 150, *dated* 15*th February* 1901.

The Government are pleased to direct the addition of the following proviso to Rule 7 of the Rules under the Mysore Arms Regulation VI of 1890, published with Notification No. 1, dated 1st May 1895.

"Provided that a person holding a license under the Mysore Explosives Regulation II of "1888, endorsed in accordance with Rule 42 of the Rules thereunder, to manu-"facture, possess and sell, or to possess and sell, explosives may, be granted *free* "*of all charge* a license for the same period in Form II or Form III, respectively, "in regard to arms, or to ammunition or military stores which are not explosives."

By Order,

W. [illegible] SMEETH,
Geological Dept.